

The Honorable Board of County Commissioners met in their said office at 10 a.m., March 15, 1965 according to adjournment.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD PRESENT:

H. J. Watts, Chairman

J. Roland Gore

W. O. Johnson

Luther C. Rich

Lacy R. Thompson

Mazzalee T. Sanderford, Clerk

The following business was transacted:

The chairman declared the Board sitting as a Board of Equalization & Review, and the following oath was administered by Lee J. Greer, Clerk of Court:

"I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully discharge my duties as a member of the Board of Equalization and Review of Columbus County, North Carolina; and that I will not allow my actions as a member of said board to be influenced by personal or political friend or obligations.

This 15th day of March, 1965.

_____ (seal)"

WHEREAS it has come to the attention of the Board that it was recorded in the minutes of March 20, 1961 that the Board, acting as a Board of Equalization and Review, reduced the valuation of E. R. Cruthchfield Heirs, Chadbourn Township, from \$3,762 to \$3,322, and

WHEREAS said action of the Board of Equalization and Review was inadvertently transcribed incorrectly in the minutes as reducing said valuation from \$3,762 to \$1,120, and

WHEREAS said property owner was notified incorrectly as to the action taken by the Board of Equalization & Review, and

WHEREAS said property owner has paid for the year 1961 upon the valuation of \$3,322, and

WHEREAS the Board wishes to compromise with said taxpayer:

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the taxpayer be reimbursed the sum of \$42.94 for the year 1961, which would reflect the difference in the valuation of \$3,322 to \$1,120. It is further ordered that this valuation of \$3,322 which correctly reflects the action of the Board of Equalization and Review remain, and be the valuation for said property for the years 1962, 1963, and 1964.

Ordered: that Williams Township School be granted permission to use a voting machine from Tabor City during their school elections.

Ordered: that Hubert Norris be authorized to purchase and install two electric water fountains in the courthouse corridors.

There was a discussion with the Appraisal Company in regard to setting up appointments for the Board of Equalization & Review.

Upon motion the meeting adjourned until 9:30 a.m., March 19, 1965 at which time the Board will sit again as a Board of Equalization and Review.

Mazzalee T. Sanderford Clerk

APPROVED: H. J. Watts Chairman